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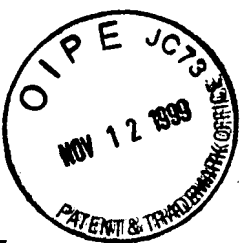
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 GLYCOPROTEIN HORMONE QUARTET



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Dear Sir:

Further to the response filed 18 October 1999, attached please find the executed Declaration of Elliot L. Elson, a copy of Elliot L. Elson's curriculum vitae and a Terminal Disclaimer. Please replace the attached executed Declaration in place of the unexecuted Declaration which was submitted to the Office on 18 October 1999. The undersigned respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-mentioned application.

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